

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Newport News Division**

**ANDREA E. JOHNSON, Individually and as
Personal Representative of the Estate of
THADDIUS A. JOHNSON, Deceased and
JENNIFER W. STEVENS, as Ancillary
Administrator of the Estate of THADDIUS A.
JOHNSON, Deceased,
Plaintiffs,**

v.

Case No. 4:18-cv-132-AWA-RJK

**AIR & LIQUID SYSTEMS CORPORATION,
Successor by Merger to BUFFALO PUMPS, INC.,
et al.,
Defendants.**

**PATRICK A. LAUGHLIN
and DEBORAH J. LAUGHLIN,
Plaintiffs,**

v.

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**AIR & LIQUID SYSTEMS CORPORATION,
Successor by Merger to BUFFALO PUMPS, INC.,
et al.,
Defendants.**

**JOINT STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE IN
THE JOHNSON MATTER**

NOW COME the Plaintiffs, Andrea E. Johnson, Individually and as Personal Representative of the Estate of Thaddius A. Johnson, Deceased, and Jennifer W. Stevens, Ancillary Administrator of the Estate of Thaddius A. Johnson, Deceased, and Plaintiffs Patrick A. Laughlin and Deborah J. Laughlin, and the below listed defendants, by and through their respective counsel, and represent to the Court that all matters in controversy between the Johnson plaintiffs and the below listed defendants have been resolved and compromised, and they accordingly stipulate that this action be dismissed with prejudice pursuant to Federal Rule

of Civil Procedure 41, as against the below listed defendants only. This Joint Stipulation of Dismissal shall apply only to the following defendants in the *Johnson* matter, and the case shall proceed against John Crane, Inc., the sole remaining defendant in the *Johnson* matter:

- Crane Co.;
- Flowserve US, Inc., Individually and as successor in interest to Edward Valves and Rockwell Manufacturing Company;
- Gardner Denver, Inc.;
- IMO Industries, Inc., as successor in interest to DeLaval Pumps;
- Nash Engineering Company;
- The William Powell Company;
- Union Carbide Corporation, and
- Warren Pumps, LLC.

Pursuant to *Kokkonen v. Guardian Life Ins. Co. of Am.*, 511 U.S. 375 (1994), this Court shall explicitly reserve jurisdiction to enforce the terms of the agreement to settle this case. Each party shall bear its own costs and attorneys' fees in this matter.

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